

Town Crier

Tewksbury - Wilmington

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Selectmen deny Paolini gravel permit

The Wilmington Board of Selectmen Monday night voted to deny Anthony Paolini a renewal of a permit for a gravel operation he owns off Ballardvale Street in North Wilmington.

Paolini had been granted the permit about two years ago, and it expired on Dec. 31 of last year. In seeking the renewal, he said he had to finish some work in the first portion of the pit, as well as begin the next portion.

Paolini was represented by Attorney Joseph Courtney in the hearing.

"I am still opposed to selling this town by the truckload for the personal gain of one individual...I am going to fight it!" said Selectman Dan Gillis.

Paolini said that in fact, he had not made a pit, but only removed a hill, creating level ground.

The vote against the permit was three to two, Banda, Miceli and Gillis, against, Boylen and Caira for the permit.



Fair time

Stacy Palmer and Susan Carpenter were two of the several hundred persons to turn out last Saturday for the Colonial Craftsmen's Fair at the Congregational Church. With Christmas fast approaching, several fairs and bazaars are coming up. St. Thomas Church will hold a Christmas bazaar on Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Villanova Hall. For other listings, see page 3.

POLLUTION

No satisfaction for neighbors of industry

Several indignant residents of the Woburn-Eames Street area of Wilmington protested to the Wilmington Selectmen Monday night that despite years of protests, they still have to put up with odors from nearby chemical plants.

Spokesman Al Molander of Lawn Street said that on October 15, he detected a smell at 5:45 p.m. By 7:45, he said, it was strong enough to burn his eyes. He said he called Sterling Morris, George Boylen, and Jim Miceli. He also tried, unsuccessfully, to call Ernest Romano, the town sanitarian.

Molander said that he had determined the smell to be coming from Raffi and Swanson.

Boylen said that he had gone to Molander's house upon receipt of the call, and that he wasn't sure if the smell had come from Raffi and Swanson or from another firm.

"It comes right from Raffi and Swanson," Molander said, "and he (Ralph Swanson) can't deny it." Molander said that he had gone to various points in the area, noting the wind direction and presence of the odor, in making his decision as to the source of the odor.

Chairman Boylen proposed to have a meeting between state and federal officials and the irritated residents.

Harry Latta, also of Lawn Street, said that residents had offered to

monitor pollution detection equipment, if the town would supply it. Boylen explained that the Town Meeting had voted down funds for such equipment.

One resident said that if the situation were not corrected by January 1, he would go to the federal government.

To that, Boylen replied, "The E.P.A. (Environmental Protection Agency) has a name. It has no technical expertise." Boylen is an expert in the field of air pollution, and is employed by the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Boylen said that in order to prove anything, an air sampling had to be taken during the time in which the smell could be detected. He also said that federal law only covers specific chemicals.

Selectman Dan Gillis pointed out that back in the forties and fifties, there was a tannery in North Wilmington that was offensive to its neighbors. "People began moving in, and they shut the tannery down," he said. Gillis said that he wouldn't mind seeing the offending plant closed.

Ruth Pine of Morse Avenue said that she was sure that Polyvinyl Chemicals was not at fault. She said the company was being done a disservice, to have their name in the paper. "They've been good," she said.

Marie Burns of Morse Avenue spoke of sick children. She said that five or six children on the street have to get

allergy shots regularly, and that the doctors said that the allergies are probably caused by the chemicals in the air of the neighborhood.

In seeking a course of action, Dan Gillis asked Alan Altman if there were any legal avenue open. Altman said that Chapter 214 of the General Laws of Massachusetts regulated pollution, and that the board could initiate a suit under that law.

After some discussion as to the availability of concrete evidence with which to proceed, Altman cautioned the selectmen on the possible action. They should take care, he said, to avoid malicious use of process. He said that a board of health had been assessed for \$49,000 in damages in a recent suit, in which harassment had been charged.

"Boards vote at their peril in many actions," Altman said.

Selectman James Banda, also an attorney, said he was in agreement with Altman's observations.

With pursuit of action under that law ruled out, talk returned to possible action by state officials.

Mrs. Burns said, "We have gone to the state and they tell us to go back to our town officials." She was tired of the runaround, she said.

Dan Gillis asked why the necessary work in the case wasn't being done by the paid staff that the selectmen had at their disposal, indicating that he meant the Town Manager.

Nickerson on Ipswich Commission

The Wilmington Board of Selectmen has named Herbert Nickerson of Marie Drive to the Ipswich Watershed Commission.

Nickerson is employed as an engineer and water superintendent by the City of Haverhill, and is a former employee of the Mass. Department of Public Health. He is a former chairman of the Ipswich Watershed Commission.

He was nominated for the position by Selectman James Miceli.

LWV membership night a nostalgia trip

"We've come a long way, Baby!" is more than a phrase. It is the spirit of the League of Women Voters for their upcoming membership and task force meeting, to be held Thursday evening at 8:00 at Wilmington High School.

The program will include a lively narrative, punctuated by anecdotes, songs and minidramas. The presentation will take the audience through the history of the LWV, from the National League's earliest birth pains to a synopsis of the league as it is today. Period costumes will help many of the league members portray the different eras to be covered. The program is designed to be nostalgic for the veteran

members, as well as a delightful introduction to the league for prospective members.

The meeting is to be the first of three task force meetings. The changing role of women and their organizations, has prompted the task force to help the task force to explore the future of the league. The task force is headed by Madelyn McKie, Barbara Cogan and Barbara Hooper.

After the program, several members will speak briefly on the many league activities with which a member might become involved. The program will include coffee and dessert. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

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Jury awards \$105,000 for Harnden Tavern

A jury has awarded Anthony Palotta of Malden \$105,000 in his suit for damages for the taking of the Harnden Tavern. The award was made Friday afternoon in Middlesex Superior Court in Lowell, after a trial that lasted five days.

The tavern was taken from Palotta in eminent domain proceedings by the Town of Wilmington about three years ago. Palotta had purchased the tavern about four years ago from the estate of the late Dr. Charles E. Rounds, for the sum of \$168,000. His purchase included some 34 acres of land with the tavern.

The eminent domain proceedings took the tavern and about two acres of land. The taking was for the sake of historical preservation, at the urging of the Wilmington Historical Commission. The town had offered Palotta \$65,000.

Palotta then sold the remaining land to Choate Memorial Hospital for \$325,000. It is to be the site of the Regional Health Center, construction of which is to begin before the end of the year.

The sale of the land to the Choate Hospital was not admissible evidence, in court, so that the jury had no knowledge on this point.

The trial was contested throughout by the two attorneys, Robert Lucas of

Wakefield and Alan Altman, Town Counsel of Wilmington. One of the high points was the testimony of Ed Larkin of Malden, a professional appraiser. Mr. Larkin testified that the value of the tavern on the day of taking was \$117,000 and proceeded to compare the tavern with two buildings on The Great Road in Bedford, three on Monument Road in Concord, and one in Lexington near the Battle Green. All six buildings had been the site of events pertaining to Lexington and Concord Day.

Mr. Altman, the following day had Larkin on the stand nearly all day in cross examination. Altman, who tried to keep history out of the trial, tried to convince the jury that the Harnden Tavern was not the same as the buildings which had been named.

Altman had as his appraiser Robert Nordstrand, from the R.M. Bradley firm in Boston. Nordstrand testified as to sale of comparable properties in Wilmington at the same time as the land taking by the town meeting.

The home at the corner of Glen Road and Middlesex Avenue, which dates back to Revolutionary times, and is now the property of Mr. and Mrs. David Gagnon was sold at about the same time as the taking, for the sum of \$57,000. Nordstrand told the jury. There is 1.24 acres of land in the

Gagnon home, which originally was a home of the Blanchard family, and was lately known as the Hayward home. There is less than two acres to the Harnden Tavern.

Lucas made much of the fact that the Harnden Tavern had been placed in the National Register, as were those homes in Bedford, Concord and Lexington. He asked witnesses who testified as to whether or not the home in question was in the National Register. Mr. Altman then followed with a question as to whether or not application had been made.

The only person on the stand to have testimony on the history of the tavern was the publisher of the Town Crier, Larz Neilson. Lucas asked Neilson as to the origin of the name Harnden Tavern. Neilson replied that he had given the name to the building, when writing of it. The evidence was pursued no further, by either attorney.

Anthony Kremenski, assessor of Wilmington, testified that the average assessment for the home, in the three years prior to the eminent domain proceedings was \$45,700.

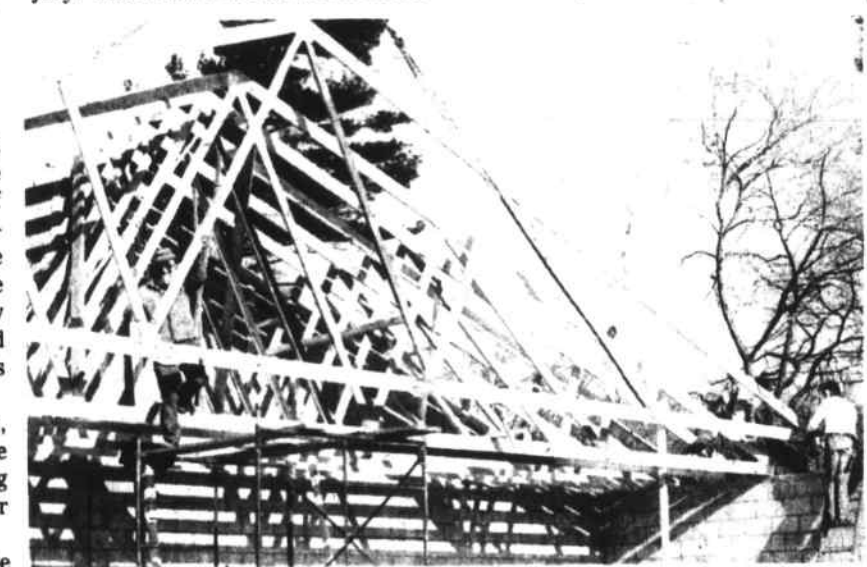
The highlight of the testimony of Anthony Palotta & Sons, developers, was that he was unable to read evidence proffered by Altman, when on the stand. Mr. Palotta also had to be seated, because of infirmities.

Ice warning

Ice presents an extremely difficult rescue problem to fire fighters and the public is urged to stay off any bodies of water with a thin or partial ice covering. The Fire Department has made one rescue already this year. The rescue falls into the canine category and was successful as one live, cold and very scared dog was delivered to its awaiting owners on shore.

The incident is not to be taken lightly, and is a strong reminder of the possible tragedy that awaits an unsuspecting adult or child on each body of water that appears frozen.

The lesson learned here should be etched in everyone's mind and hopefully no further reminders will be necessary. This rescue was successful and did not involve human life...but what about the next time?



Going up

Construction is progressing rapidly on the Sons of Italy Hall on Ballardvale Street. The contract calls for a March 15 completion, but building committee chairman Rico Catalano predicts an early finish. He is already accepting bookings for the hall.

Eames Street bridge to be rebuilt

The old railroad bridge on Eames Street is to be closed, next Monday and there will be no traffic over the bridge for about two months. The Massachusetts Department of Public Works is building a new one, as part of a program to rebuild all bridges along the Boston to Lowell tracks of the Boston & Maine Railroad.

The new bridge will be 18 inches higher above the tracks than is the present one. It will also have longer approaches, so as to make things easier for auto and truck drivers.

Rep. Fred F. Cain of Wilmington said that the Eames Street project is the first of a number of bridge construction projects, between Lowell and Boston. Almost every bridge will have to be rebuilt to allow bigger railroad cars to use the tracks.

The program, according to Cain, is part of one involving, among other things, a change in Route 2 which is being planned. Freight trains which formerly arrived at the Boston terminus via Concord and Arlington will now use the Lowell, Wilmington and Boston route.

Many of those freight trains have cars which carry automobiles. The bridges at present on the Lowell-Boston route will not allow those cars to pass under them.

Mr. Cain expects that there will be future announcements for the Butters Row bridge and the Burlington Avenue bridge.

Father Leahy dies

Rev. Joseph W. Leahy, 75, the retired pastor of St. Dorothy's Parish died on Friday in Peter Bent Brigham Hospital.



Rev. Joseph Leahy, and his brother, Rev. Daniel Leahy, at right.

Father Leahy was the founding pastor of St. Dorothy's 22 years ago. He retired in the fall of 1975, and was honored at a dinner at the Tewksbury-Wilmington Elks hall on November 14 of last year.

He was a graduate of Boston College and St. John's Seminary, Brighton. Fr. Leahy was ordained to the priesthood in 1929. He had served as assistant pastor at St. Ann's in Readville, St. Mary's Star of the Sea, Beverly, St. Patrick's, Roxbury, and St. Patrick's, Watertown.

He is survived by his brother, Rev. Daniel Leahy, and his sister, Mrs. Mary Donovan, both of Arlington.

A Mass was held at St. Dorothy's Church on Monday and a celebrated Mass on Tuesday at St. Agnes Church in Arlington.

Burial was in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery in Arlington.



Senatorial Citation

Rudy Carrasco, chairman of the Bicentennial Commission accepts from Senator Ronald MacKenzie a citation for good citizenship, from the Senate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Town of Wilmington

Rubbish Collection

There will be no rubbish collection next Thursday. Thanksgiving. Thursday rubbish will be collected Friday, and Friday rubbish on Saturday.

Regional Health Center in Wilmington

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Cynthia Anne Enos is Bride



On Saturday, October 9, at St. Thomas of Villanova Church, Wilmington, a one o'clock consecrated nuptial high mass united in marriage Cynthia Anne Enos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Enos, Hillside Way, Wilmington, and John Joseph Chancholo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Chancholo, West Medford.

A choir of 36 voices enhanced the ceremony with a variety of classical compositions chosen by the bride and groom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant wearing a George Mauer original gown fashioned of white silk organza featuring a sheer illusion neckline and sheer bishop sleeves. Both the bodice and sleeve cuffs were trimmed with embroidered chantilly lace.

Forest St. Congregational Church

The Rev. William C. Hackett, Jr., minister.
Sunday, Nov. 21: 10:45 a.m., to 11:45 a.m., Sunday School; 11 a.m. to noon, morning worship.

dotted with pearls and tiny crystals. The waist was a high empire from which fell a soft A-line skirt applied and hemmed by a wide pearl-beaded chantilly lace that swept around to a full built-in train. She wore a camelot head piece of pearls and chantilly lace caught to a cathedral mantilla edged with matching lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses, stephanotis, and baby's breath that was outlined in English ivy.

Rosemarie Morgan served as her sister's matron-of-honor. She wore a lovely deep jade polyknit gown with a matching floor-length ruffled cape. She wore a two-toned camelot head piece of deep jade and soft seafoam.

Serving as bridesmaids were: Therese Johnston and Dolores Crouse, sisters of the bride; Paula Chancholo,

sister of the groom; Ermelinda Enos, cousin of the bride; and Gail Stanwood, friend of the bride. They wore polyknit gowns with matching floor-length ruffled capes in soft seafoam. They, too, wore two-toned camelot head pieces of deep jade and soft seafoam. The matron-of-honor and bridesmaids carried wicker baskets filled with yellow and bronze mums.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Enos chose a lovely turquoise floor-length gown with a detachable, chiffon waist-length cape dotted with rhinestones.

For her son's wedding, Mrs. Chancholo chose a lovely soft yellow, floor-length gown with an accordion-pleated short cape.

A reception for the bride and groom was held at the Elks Hall, Tewksbury, where they were greeted by 250 guests. The guest book was circulated by Lou Enos, sister-in-law of the bride.

For going away the new Mrs. Chancholo chose a stunning salmon-colored vest pant suit with black accessories. The couple has planned a honeymoon in London, England.

Cynthia is a graduate of Wilmington High School and Northern Essex Community College, and John is a graduate of Christopher Columbus High School, Boston, and Northeastern University.

Photography was provided by Bruce Nash of Colonial Studio, Wilmington.

Tewksbury Methodist Church

The Rev. J. Warren Jacobs, Ph.D., pastor.
Friday, Nov. 19: 3 p.m., Girl Scouts.
Saturday, Nov. 20: 7:30 p.m., U.N. Me Couples Club.
Sunday, Nov. 21: 10 a.m., Worship and Church School, Thanksgiving Sunday and Visitation Sunday; 11 a.m., Youth Church School, Adult discussion and coffee hour; 5 p.m., Jr. UMYF; 6:30 p.m., Sr. UMYF; 9 p.m., Gamblers Anonymous.

Monday, Nov. 22: 7 p.m., Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts.
Tuesday, Nov. 23: 7 p.m., Junior Choir rehearsal; 7 p.m., 4-H Photo Club.
Wednesday, Nov. 24: 6 a.m., Bible study; 9 a.m., Diet Workshop; 3 p.m., Girl Scouts; 7 p.m., Diet Workshop; 7:30 p.m., Thanksgiving Eve Service, Tewksbury Congregational Church; 8 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous.
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Bits & Pieces

Pancake breakfast
On Thanksgiving morning from 7:30 to 10, the seniors of Wilmington High School will sponsor a pancake breakfast in the large cafeteria. The cost will be \$6 per family of 12.25 per person.

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OBITUARIES

Angela Carey 25 years in Tewksbury

Mrs. Angelina Carey, mother of a widely known family, died unexpectedly at her East St., Tewksbury home last week.

She was born in Boston, the daughter of the late Frank and the late Filomena (Vacca) Mazzarella, but had lived in this community for the past 25 years where she was a communicant of St. William's Church. She held membership in the Tewksbury Golden Age Club.

Surviving her are 12 children: Mrs. Henry (Virginia) Connors of Peabody; Paul Carey of Chelmsford; Frances Joyce of Hollywood, Fla.; Leonard Joyce of Middlesex; Ernest Carey of Nahant; Warren Carey, Robert Carey, Richard Carey, Priscilla McCormack, Russel Carey, all of Tewksbury; Mrs. Henry (Angela) St. Armand of Lowell and Carl Carey of Ipswich; five brothers and sisters, Lena Mirota of East Boston; Orlando Mazzarella of Saugus; Mary Anderson, Ernest Mazzarella and Margaret Capone, all of East Boston. Forty-one grandchildren and six great-grandchildren also survive.

Helen M. Holmes, formerly of Wilmington

Mrs. Helen M. Holmes, formerly of Federal St., Wilmington died in Jamaica Plain on Friday, November 12 following a prolonged illness.

Mrs. Holmes, who was 73 years of age at the time of her death, was born in Maine, the daughter of the late Albert and the late Mary (Lewis) Curran. She had been a resident of Wilmington for many years, and prior to her retirement had served as a nurse aid.

Mrs. Holmes was the wife of the late Ralph W. Holmes. Funeral services were held at the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street, Wilmington on Monday at 10:30 a.m. with the Rev. Francis W. Mackin officiating. Burial took place in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

James A. Hurley was 22

James A. Hurley, age 22 years, of 3 Fairmount St., Woburn died at Choate Memorial Hospital on Wednesday evening, November 10 where he was taken after being involved in a motor vehicle accident on Route 3A in Burlington.

Mr. Hurley, who was born in Cambridge had lived on Burlington Ave., Wilmington for many years and had been a resident of Woburn for the past six years. At the time of his death, he was employed as a welder.

Mr. Hurley is survived by his parents, James B. and Theresa N. (Ardolino) Hurley; his three sisters, Mrs. Mary Camara of Somerville; Theresa and Lauren Hurley of Woburn and his two brothers, John and Robert Hurley both of Woburn; also his paternal

grandfather, Edward Hurley of Somerville and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Ardolino of Medford.

The funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street, Wilmington on Saturday morning at 9:00 followed by a funeral mass at St. Anthony's Church, North Woburn at nine o'clock with the Rev. Thomas Henry serving as celebrant. Burial took place in the family lot, Woodbrook Cemetery, Woburn.

Pall bearers were Kenneth Bonnell, Richard O'Connor, John and Robert Hurley.

Mary E. Breen died in Connecticut

Mrs. Mary E. Breen, of 13 Laurel Drive, Enfield, Connecticut died on Tuesday, November 9 at the Enfield Nursing Home following a prolonged illness. Mrs. Breen, who was 88 years of age, was born in County Armagh, Ireland, the daughter of the late Edward and the late Mary E. Hagan. She had lived in Wilmington prior to taking up residence in Connecticut.

Mrs. Breen was the wife of the late Patrick J. Breen and is survived by her son Thomas James Breen of Middlesex Ave., Wilmington; her two daughters Mrs. Mary E. Rancier of Burlington and Mrs. Anna E. Hart of Enfield, Conn.

The funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main St., Wilmington on Friday, Nov. 12 at 8:15 a.m. followed by a funeral mass at St. Thomas Church at nine o'clock which was celebrated by the Rev. Father Charles R. Kinsella. Burial took place in the family lot, Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden.

Serving as pall bearers for Mrs. Breen were Paul Rancier, Kenneth Breen, Richard Nolan and Gary Nolan.

John Grigas died in Boston

John F. Grigas, 58 of 112 Vale St., Tewksbury passed away last Tuesday at Mass. General Hospital, Boston.

He was born in Lawrence, and was the retired founder of Ricker's Variety Store in Andover. He was a member of St. William's Parish in Tewksbury and Andover Lodge of Elks.

He is survived by his wife, Helena (Steinmann) Grigas; a daughter, Mrs. Diane G. Weidner of Tewksbury; two brothers, Joseph Grigas of Dracut and Stanley Grigas of Lawrence; a sister, Mrs. Pat G. Sands of Sudbury and a granddaughter.

Shawsheen Tech menus

Monday: Baked Beef Ravioli with Cheese, Buttered Green Beans, Fresh Baked Buttered Roll, Pudding with Topping and Milk - or - Tomato Soup, Fish and Cheese Sandwich, Tartar Sauce and Catsup, Buttered Corn Niblets, Pudding with Topping and Milk.

Tuesday: Pepper Steak, Whipped Potato, Gravy, Buttered Vegetable, Fresh Baked Buttered Roll, Assorted Fruit, Cookie and Milk - or - Barbecued Beef on a Roll, French Fries, Buttered Peas, Assorted Fruit, Cookie and Milk.

Wednesday: No lunch - early dismissal.

Mary Ann Morlani is wed



On Saturday, October 9, Mary Ann Morlani, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Morlani of Cunningham St., Wilmington became the bride of Jerry E. Williamson, son of Mrs. Ruby Williamson of Atlanta, Georgia.

The 11 a.m. ceremony was performed at Wilmington's Congregational Church and was immediately followed by a reception at Montvale Plaza.

Following a wedding trip to Florida, the couple is now residing in Salem, N.H.

Regional Health Center in Wilmington

Relatives, friends and loved ones honored by contributions in their memory to the Regional Health Center in Wilmington this week include:

In memory of Debbie Marie Callahan on her 21st birthday, November 1, from Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Kennedy, (Tewksbury).

In memory of Herbert Smith of N.H., brother of Helen Witham, from the Wilmington Womens Bowling League.

In memory of Manuel Barboza, husband of Mrs. Gladys Barboza from Mrs. Phyllis Treffry.

In memory of Arthur LeBlanc, Billerica, from Virginia and Clifford Braman.

In memory of Edgar M. Wilner, St. Croix, from Virginia and Clifford Braman.

In memory of Sophie Chianca (E. Boston) from John and Nonie O'Brien.

In memory of Mary Fahey from V.F.W. Auxiliary No. 2458.

Wilmington Congregational Church

The Rev. George B. Taylor, III minister; Robert A. Jacob minister to youth; 658-2264 or 658-3801.

Thursday, Nov. 18: 9 a.m., Prayer group; 9:45 a.m., Bible study class with childcare; 7 p.m., Boy Scouts, Christian Education Committee; Stewardship Committee.

Friday, Nov. 19: 3:30 p.m., Prayer and Bible study class visit to Winchester Nursing Home.

Saturday, Nov. 20: 6:30 p.m., Couples Club covered dish supper; speaker: The British Consul General in Boston "Amusing Comments about England" and the Consuls.

Sunday, Nov. 21: 9:30 a.m., Church School; Kindergarten through senior high; adult Bible class - all adults welcome; 11 a.m., Worship service; every-member canvass Sunday; Kinderkirk and nursery; junior church; 4:30 p.m., Junior High Fellowship; 7 p.m., Informal worship - Hosanna DeJesus speaker.

Monday, Nov. 22: 7:30 p.m., Diet Workshop.

Tuesday, Nov. 23: 6:30 p.m., Junior Girl Scouts.

Wednesday, Nov. 24: 9:30 a.m., Bible study at Jay Ryt's; 6 p.m., Cherub Choir; 6:15 p.m., Junior High Choir; 7 p.m., Senior High Choir.

Winter ballroom classes

The winter session of ballroom dance classes will begin Monday, Nov. 29 at the North Intermediate School cafeteria.

The lessons are offered through the Recreation Department and are available to Wilmington couples regardless of age on a first come, first served basis.

The classes are beginner, intermediate and advanced and run every Monday for an hour through a 10-week period. The cost is \$15.00 for Wilmington couples and \$20 for out-of-town couples, with Wilmington couples receiving priority.

To register call the Recreation office at 658-6512.

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Birthdays
According to one informant, Charlie Kelley of Clark St., Wilmington observed his birthday on November 8.

Gerald Papa of Eames St., Wilmington blew out the candles on November 11 and shared greetings with Peg Laval of Marjorie Rd.

November 18 marked the special day of Francis McKenna of Middlesex Ave., Wilmington.

On November 19, Al Damore of Marjorie Rd., Wilmington will be celebrated by friends and relatives for the 81st time.

Susan Leavitt of Pleasant St., will make it around for the 15th time on November 25 and will share greetings with John (Buster) Murphy of Crest Ave.

Phyllis Flaherty of Hoban Ave., Wilmington will turn another page on November 28.

Len Boyden of Nichols St., Wilmington will observe his birthday on November 27 and will share greetings with Ralph Ringer of Arnold Rd., Tewksbury.

Stephanie Dionne of Oakdale Rd., Wilmington will face a birthday cake glowing with 10 candles on November 28. Stephanie will share her special day with Betty Spahr of Draper Drive who isn't saying how many times she's observed the day before.

On November 29, Derick Carpenter of Baldwin St., Tewksbury will celebrate his ninth birthday as guest of honor at a party in his home.

Thomas O'Reilly of Wildwood St., Wilmington will observe his special day for the eighth time on November 30 and will share greetings with Ann Marie Squillante of Main St.

Golden Agers
Wilmington Golden Age Club members on the current birthday list include:

Mary McKay of Burnap Street who will celebrate on November 25 and will share greetings with Pauline Blaisdell of Swain Rd., who will also be celebrating on the 25th. Both ladies will have to make room for Esther Goodard of Federal St., who will be celebrating on the same day.

Lillian Kaiser of Main St., will be a year wiser on November 26.

Stop smoking
The Health Education Department of New England Memorial Hospital, Stoughton will conduct a 5-day plan to stop smoking, Sunday through Thursday, November 22 - December 2 and Sunday, December 5, at 7:30 p.m. in the hospital auditorium.

For information call 658-1740, ext. 426. There is a \$10 registration fee.

Anniversaries
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grenon of Park St., Wilmington will celebrate their 11th wedding anniversary on November 20. On the same day, their daughter Lori Ann will be celebrating her eighth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Tedesco, Sr. of Clark St., Wilmington will celebrate their 31st wedding anniversary on November 23.

The anniversary star this week goes to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kleynan of Salem St., Wilmington who will be

married 34 years on December 1.

Phil hospitalized
Phil Parks of Ballardvale St., Wilmington has been a patient in the intensive care ward of Choate Memorial Hospital for the past week.

The report on Monday was that Phil is improving nicely.

New officers
Members of Wilmington's Golden Age have held their election of officers for the coming year with the following results:

Gas MacPeeley will serve as president; Gladys Babine, vice president; Nellie Thompson, secretary; Vera Rothwell, treasurer; Elsie Eaton, chaplain; Mary White, sunshine lady.

Alda Surratt will serve as chairman of the executive committee assisted by Mary White, Ellen Durkee, Joe Cunningham, Bernard Eaton, Bea Saville and Mary Fairweather.

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Coming events

Thursday, November 18: 12 noon to 3 p.m., St. Dorothy's Ladies Sodality luncheon and blitz.

Thursday, November 18: 10 a.m., Wilmington Camp Fire leaders monthly meeting at the Library.

Thursday, November 18: 8 p.m., Wilmington League of Women Voters membership night; small cafeteria, WHS.

Thursday, November 18: 7 to 9:30 p.m., Family night at West Intermediate School, Wilmington.

Thursday, November 18: 12 noon, President's Day, Wilmington Women's Club.

Thursday, November 18: 7 p.m., Open House, Heathbrook and Shawsheen Schools, Tewksbury.

Friday, November 19: 7 p.m., Ecumenical Vigil at St. Thomas Church, Wilmington.

Friday, November 19 and Saturday November 20: 8 p.m., Senior class of Wilmington High School to present "The Real Inspector Hound and Chamber Music. Herbert C. Barrows Auditorium, WHS.

Saturday, November 20: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Santa's Workshop sponsored by the Parent's Club and staff of Shawsheen School, Tewksbury.

Saturday, November 20: 12 noon to 4 p.m., Holiday Fair by Glen Road School Parents Club at the Glen Rd., School, Wilmington.

Saturday, November 20: Friends of Harnden Tavern holiday bread and cookie sale at Bay Bank-Middlesex, Main St., Wilmington, from 9 a.m. to noon.

Please submit items for coming events listing at least one week before desired date of publication.

Saturday, November 20: 10 a.m., St. Thomas annual holiday bazaar at Villanova Hall. Grand drawing at 7 p.m.

Saturday, November 20: 5 to 7 p.m., Ham and bean supper by Wamesit Lodge, Wamesit Rainbow Girls and Wamesit DeMolay at Wamesit Masonic Temple, Victor Drive, Tewksbury.

Saturday, November 20: 8 to 11 p.m., Harvest barn dance at First Baptist Church parish hall, Tewksbury.

Saturday, November 20: 8:30 p.m., St. William's Couples' Club Harvest Ball.

Saturday, November 20: 8 p.m., WHS Class of '72 reunion committee meeting; Linda Lockhart Scifo.

Sunday, November 21: 1:30 to 5 p.m., Open house at Austin Prep, Reading.

Monday, November 22: 7 p.m., Tewksbury Art Guild monthly meeting at Old Chapel, Tewksbury State Hospital.

Monday, November 22: 7 p.m., Tewksbury Chapter La Leche League to meet at the home of Mrs. Dennis Sullivan, 127 North Street.

Tuesday, November 23: 7 p.m., Mass of Thanksgiving at St. Thomas Church, Wilmington.

Tuesday, November 23: 7 p.m., Open house at Tewksbury Memorial High School.

Tuesday, November 23: 7 p.m., Pack meeting, Cub Scout Pack 47, Tewksbury Congregational Church.

Wednesday, November 24: after 3 p.m., pumpkin pies from Rita Masters for Tewksbury Congregational Church Fair.

Favoriteism?

Last week, Compugraphic employee Gerry Villemare of Lowell, had the dubious honor of having his car stolen from the company parking lot for the second time this year.

Overnight
The name of Mark L. Birrille was inadvertently omitted from last week's listing of members of the Tewksbury Patriotic Activities Committee who recently received plaques for active participation in the group.

From the fire log
Members of Wilmington's Fire Department answered 38 calls for assistance between November 8th and November 14th including:

Twelve brush fires; nine ambulance runs; one call for mutual aid; one building fire; six dumpster fires; one service call; two auto fires and one rescue (dog) operation at Silver Lake.

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News from Pack 136

The Cub Scouts of American Legion Pack 136 held their monthly pack meeting on November 8 at Legion Hall. Theme for the month was "Outstanding Presidents."

The Webelos posted the colors and the cubs from Den Five conducted a lively opening ceremony to the tune of "Hall, Hall, the Gang's All Here."

Inducted and welcomed into the pack by Cubmaster Jim O'Donnell were William Gullage and John Benjamin who were also awarded their Bobcat badges. Other cubs earning Bobcat were: Chris Sullivan and Chris Smith of Den One; Daniel Harmon and Walter Jackson of Den Two; Rusty DePasquale, Daniel Rollins and Robert Spidel of Den Three and James Bimbo of Den Five.

A Wolf badge was awarded to David Porter of Den One and Robert Donahue of Den Five was awarded a Bear badge plus a gold and a silver arrow. Additional arrow points were awarded to Pete Melanson of Den Three, one silver arrow and George Jackson of Den Five, two silver arrows. Graduating into Webelos this month was Robert Donahue.

Webelos awards
William Harmon, athlete and outdoorsman; Jeffrey DE Jongh, athlete and outdoorsman; Steven Schmitt, naturalist; Roy McLanahan, outdoorsman; Sean Droney, outdoorsman; Kevin Backman aquanaut and outdoorsman; Scott Francis outdoorsman; Richard Jackson outdoorsman and James Vella, outdoorsman.

Service stars were awarded to: One year, William Harmon; two years Robert Donahue and Steven Schmitt. A two year service star was also awarded to Assistant Den Five Leader Roberta Donahue.

A two year Pack Perfect Attendance Pin was awarded to Stephen, Delaney, James Vella and Steven Schmitt.

Cubmaster Jim O'Donnell thanked all the parents and especially Committeewoman Joan Nicoll and Eleanor Jackson for helping with the recent cake sale.

Special activities for the month included a trip to the F.A.A. facility in New Hampshire for the Webelos on November 13. An inspirational poem "Family Tree" was read by Cubmaster O'Donnell as the Webelos retired the colors.

The next meeting for the pack will be a combined Christmas party and pack meeting on Sunday December 12 at Legion Hall.

Combat pilots
Frank Grenon of Park St., Wilmington has been appointed director of the Combat Pilots Association. Past, present and future combat or combat trained pilots and airmen of America, interested in joining the organization are urged to contact Mr. Grenon at 658-2284 for information.

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Births

ANDRE: Michael Richard, first child to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Andre (Kathy Saghrie) of 1281 Lawrence St., Lowell on October 23 at Lowell General Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Saghrie of Marcus Rd., Wilmington and Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Andre of Miles Rd., Tewksbury.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Loretta Saghrie of Cambridge and Oscar Andre of Burlington.

SCHULTZ: Amy Elizabeth, second child, first daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Schultz of 6 Lawrence Court, Wilmington on November 6 at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius L. O'Brien of Winter Park, Florida and Mr. and Mrs. Matthew J. Schultz of Barron Ave., Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

SZADIS: Monica Rose, fourth child, second daughter to Mr. and Mrs. James J. Szadis of Avoca, Iowa on November 10.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wise of Willow St., Avoca, Iowa and Mr. and Mrs. George Szadis of Lloyd Rd., Wilmington.



Life Members

Wilmington Golden Age Club President Gus MacFeeley presented Grace Case with her life membership badge last Thursday at the Wilmington K of C Hall and then received one himself. When Golden Agers reach age 80, they become life members, and can stop paying dues.

Fire prevention tips on manufactured fire logs

Convenience, economy and ecology are causing more and more consumers to use manufactured wastewood firelogs instead of natural firewood. However, said Deputy Chief Wandell of the Wilmington Fire Department, it is important that consumers read the directions on the manufactured logs because, like all fire products, the logs should be used carefully, and they require a break from traditional fireplace habits.

"Many things people do with a real wood fire are either wasteful or dangerous," Deputy Chief Wandell said. "Poking at the fire, breaking up a burning log and building too large a fire are the most serious mistakes. These same habits can also create potential danger when manufactured logs are being used."

One of the major causes of difficulty consumers experience with manufactured logs is using more than one log at a time or adding a firelog to an existing fire. Virtually all the nationally distributed brands of firelogs put out as much heat as two or three hardwood logs, and people can cause accidents if they ignite more than one at a time. Adding a wax/wood log to an existing fire may result in a flare up or an excessively hot fire.

Another mistake firelog users make is poking or breaking apart the log, Deputy Chief Wandell says. The firelogs are made of compressed sawdust and wax, and when they are poked, bits of burning wax may stick to the fireplace tools and drip on the carpet. Poking also may break up the log, creating a larger burning surface and resulting in an intense heat flareup.

The logs are designed to burn for two or three hours without special attention, he points out, and the best method of tending such a fire is to sit back, relax, and enjoy it.

Most importantly, he emphasizes, follow all the directions on the firelog wrapper. However, Deputy Chief Wandell says, for the brands of firelogs which have few instructions consumers should consider the following list of cautions for using any manufactured log. These directions include:

Start with an open damper and a clean flue. Use the right log for the fireplace; small logs producing lower heat are acceptable for small and freestanding fireplaces.

Read the manufacturer's instructions and follow them. Place the log at the back of the fireplace, preferably on a grate.

Don't unwrap the log. Don't overload the fireplace. Never add manufactured firelogs to an existing fire. However, a firelog or other fuel may be added to a manufactured firelog fire after two hours.

Never leave children unattended near the fire. To extinguish in emergency, douse flame with sand, water or chemical fire extinguisher in emergency, douse flame with sand, water or chemical fire extinguisher. Do not break log apart, as this tends to spread the fire.

Wilmington Methodist Church

The Rev. Richard L. Evans, Minister; 658-4519 or 658-8217. Friday, Nov. 19: 7 p.m., Cub Pack 59.

Sunday, Nov. 21: 8:45 a.m., Early worship and communion; 10 a.m., Family worship and Church School; 11:15 a.m., Angelus and Wesley Choirs; 6 p.m., Prayer-share group in the library; Junior and Senior MYF groups in Fellowship Hall.

Monday, Nov. 22: 4 p.m., Confirmation class; 6:30 p.m., Girl Scouts.

Tuesday, Nov. 23: 7:30 p.m., Chancel Choir; 8 p.m., Bible study, 113 West St.; 8:30 p.m., A.A. in Fellowship Hall.

Wednesday, Nov. 24: 8 a.m., Early Bird Bible study; 9:30 a.m., Ecumenical Bible study, 7 Clark St.; 9:45 a.m., Bible study in the library; Esther Circle; 7:30 p.m., Ecumenical Thanksgiving Eve service.

Bits & Pieces

Marriage Encounter
A marriage encounter and information night will be conducted at St. Thomas Church on Sunday, November 21 beginning at eight o'clock. The public is invited.

Notes from Pack 56

Cub Scout Pack 56, Boy Scouts of America, sponsored by the Congregational Church of Wilmington held a pack meeting Monday evening at the Church.

Color bearers were members of the Webelos Den. The theme of the month is "Rural America." Cubmaster Robert MacEvoy led the group in singing "Old MacDonald Had a Farm." A skit entitled The Farmer in the Dell and the Salad Bowl was performed by Den Two. John Pelletier served as narrator.

Unit Commissioner Richard Lesperance of Troop 63 showed films which explained what Cub Scouting and Webelos are all about.

Many awards were presented:

Bobcat badges were awarded to Scott Fuller and John Valente. Timothy Benoit was presented a bear badge. Lebelo Leader Richard Longo inducted Peter Stevens and John Siverhus into the Webelos Den.

Webelos colors were presented to Barry Anderton, Joseph McNamara, Richard Longo, Jr., and William Brann. Aquanaut and citizenship awards were received by Peter Stevens, Richard Longo, Jr., Barry Anderton, Steven Gibson and William Brann. Joseph McNamara was presented a citizenship award. A Webelos Den Leader's badge was presented to Richard Longo.

One year pins were presented to Kevin Amidon, Paul Butler, Paul Branzetti, Dennis Longo, Scott Rossi, Mark Wright, Steven Boyce, Eric Johnson, James Brann and Richard Longo, Jr. Two year pins went to Barry Anderton, Christopher Venditti, John Siverhus, Mrs. Linda Wright and Richard Longo. Two silver pins were received by Brian Fuller.

Den Two won the attendance award and Den Three won the achievement award.

Mike Fennelly, Joseph Gorski, Brian and Tony Lobao, members of Wampanoag Lodge No. 451 of the Order of the Arrow performed a dance ceremony and explained Indian culture.

Future activities will be a swim and gym on November 20; sale of litter bags at local markets, November 27; Pack leaders meeting, December 6 and December pack meeting, on December 20.

Following the ceremonies, refreshments were served.



Swim expert

Cub Scouts of Pack 56 in Wilmington heard about the YMCA swimming program. The speaker, at right, was Bob Anderton of the North Suburban YMCA in Woburn. Cub Master Bob McEvoy is at left.

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Youth Hockey Highlights

Squirt A's edged 4-3

The Tewksbury Squirt A's lost a 4-3 decision to Chelmsford in recent league action.

Russ Mann opened first period play scoring from passes of Eddie Della Piani and Jackie Fowler. Chelmsford answered twice, but Mann brought Tewksbury back scoring on a power play with an assist from Eddie Kinsella.

Tewksbury and Chelmsford swapped goals in the second. Brian Kenne hit one home for Tewksbury, intercepting a pass in his own end and shooting over the shoulder of the Chelmsford goalie. Chelmsford came back in the final period to win.

Goalie Steve Duncan played his usually strong game in nets.

The Squirt A's returned to the ice on Thursday losing a 3-2 contest to the same Chelmsford Club.

Tewksbury trailed 3-0 before coming back with two. Tim Kelly and Russ Mann each scored a goal while helpers went to Jackie Fowler, Ed Kinsella and Craig LeDuc.

Islanders-Canadians deadlock

Islander defenseman Jeff Perry had a hat trick and Canadian Kevin Malky scored his second hat trick of the season as both clubs went into a 5-5 deadlock, in what has been the most exciting game in Tewksbury Pee Wee Intramural action.

The Islanders took a two period lead, before the Canadians closed the gap in the third, tied and went ahead losing a win with only one minute left in the game.

Perry opened the scoring in the first period when he took a slapshot from the point. Bobby Hegarty took a lead pass from John Savien, went in on a breakaway and scored. Perry pocketed his second goal on a wrist shot giving the Islanders a 3-0 lead.

Malky carried the puck into the first Canadian goal and Chuck Peters assisted to close the game, making it 3-2.

Perry took another wrist shot and scored his hat trick, but Jeff Mazzone countered with another Canadian goal on a Brian Lambert assist.

Malky notched the tie goal from a Ken Anderson assist and his hat trick goal was unassisted after the Islanders failed to clear a pass, putting the Canadians ahead 5-4.

With one minute left to play Bobby Hegarty took a lead pass from Tom Salven and with a wrist shot netted the puck over the Canadian goalie's shoulder.

Islander goalie Mike Salerno played a tough game making 14 saves and stopping a breakaway.

Canadian goalie Gary Iacopucci had 18 shots on net making 13 solid saves, allowing five goals.

T.Y.S.A. dance

The Tewksbury Youth Skating Association has scheduled its annual dance for Saturday evening, November 27 at the Elks Hall in Tewksbury.

It was incorrectly reported in last week's Town Crier that the dance was slated for November 24.

Pee-Wee A's edge Reading

Barry Buss scored his goal of the night and the game winner, lifting the Tewksbury Pee Wee A's to a 4-3 victory over Reading last Wednesday night.

Buss had opened the scoring in the first period taking the passes of Steve Spinazola and Derek Vachon. Reading came back and tied.

Mike Dascoll and Mark Dulgarian each lit the lamp in the middle frame scoring unassisted breakaway goals. Again, Reading came back scoring twice to tie.

Buss notched the winning goal in the final period on Mike Dascoll and Derek Vachon assists.

Goalie Eddie Walsh played fantastically in the nets turning aside numerous sure goals - aided by the defensive teams of Steve Spinazola, Tommy Carpenito, Dascoll and Bobby Fowler.

Mike Dascoll and Mark Walsh each scored a goal before Stoneham answered twice to salvage a 2-2 tie in Pee Wee A league action Friday night.

Barry Buss and Derek Vachon earned assists during that match.

Squirt B's in deadlock

Somerville scored in the second and third periods with five minutes left in the game sank a goal to tie the Tewksbury Squirt B's 3-3.

Kevin Lambert and Ted Carney showed fine effort throughout the game and together scored the first T goal. Lambert took the lead pass from Carney putting their team ahead 1-0. Paul Morris made it 2-0 completing the passing of Steve Murphy and Paul Picano.

Jim Blum unassisted pocketed a second period goal, but Somerville countered with the goals to tie.

Goalie Scott Thornton played a great game in nets, turning aside many tough shots.

North Stars prevail

Defenseman Mike Kelliher took a slap shot from the point scoring what proved to be the game winner as the North Stars whipped the Flyers 4-1, in Pee Wee Intramural action.

Jackie Michaud tallied an opening period goal on a Keith Demouras assist and Billy Doherty scored from Tom Burns and Peter Froten. Armand Dias chipped in with a shorthanded goal.

The Nutcracker

The Youth Dance Company is now rehearsing for this year's performance of the traditional holiday classic, The Nutcracker. The Nutcracker, set to Tchaikovsky's renowned score, is a well-known ballet about a toy nutcracker who comes to life. He takes little Clara on a journey through a snow-clad forest to the Palace of Sweets where she meets the Sugar Plum Fairy. A magnificent ceremony is performed in Clara's honor and she watches the Dance of the Candy Cane, Waltz of the Flowers, Tea from China and other character dances.

The production will include a host of area dancers ranging in age from eight to adult. They will be accompanied by a 12 piece orchestra and present a full production of The Nutcracker.

The cost of the advance sale of tickets is \$2.50 for adults and \$2.00 for children with group rates available. For ticket information call 658-5552 or 651-6081. Tickets will also be available at the door. The proceeds from this production will go to the scholarship fund.

The Nutcracker will be held at Andover West Junior High School on December 5 at 3 p.m.

Goalie Jimmy Angelo played another strong game in nets.

With lady luck on their side the Tewksbury Bantam B's nipped a tough Reading 11-1, a week ago Monday night.

Thirteen seconds after the puck was dropped Jim DiLuca scored from a set up by John Doherty and Robbie Richmond. Tewksbury didn't score again until seven minutes into the third period on a goal by Joe Cappello and a fine assist from Russ Barnes.

Reading finally got one by Scott Bonney with a minute and 18 seconds left in the game. If it wasn't for the heroics of Bonney, Tewksbury could have been on the wrong end of the scoreboard by a large margin.

With a little over a minute to go and with Tewksbury one man short Reading pulled their goalie, but fine defensive efforts of Mike Chase, Bobby Corrieri and Scott Tremlett kept them from scoring.

The Bantam B's traveled to Lynn for a non-league encounter. Lynn had a perfect 10 and 0 record going into the game and increased it to 11-0 at the expense of Tewksbury by a 5-3 score.

Lynn went ahead 2-0 before John Doherty scored on a Robbie Richmond assist. Lynn scored in the second, making it 3-1. Then Tewksbury closed the gap on a Jim DiLuca goal, assisted by Ricky Sheehan and Danny Walsh. Lynn opened third period play with two goals and Tewksbury got one back from Danny Walsh assisted by Steve Bucknam.

Mike Amorella skated a strong game up front.

The Tewksbury Bantam B's increased their league record to 7-0-1 defeating Manchester 4-1, Sunday night.

Ricky Sheehan put Tewksbury ahead 1-0 in the first period, assisted by Mark Weltz. Two minutes later John Doherty lit the lamp with help from Jim DiLuca and Robbie Richmond.

Tewksbury went ahead 3-0 in the second period on another Ricky Sheehan goal with an assist to Danny Walsh.

Manchester scored their only goal on a power play with two minutes left in the second. Brian Cormier finalized the scoring with a super goal assisted by Ricky Sheehan who had two goals and an assist for the day.

Scott Bonney was sensational in nets while up front Mike Macdonald and Mike Sarsfield skated strongly.



New president and new member

Recently installed Wilmington Kiwanis Club president Dave Gagnon (right) greets new member Richard L. Fudge of 12 Roberts Road, Wilmington. Fudge is vice-president of Builders Specialties, Inc. of Somerville.

Rec winter sports scene

Basketball

On Saturday, November 20 all boys and girls who have registered to participate in the Wilmington Recreation Basketball League will have their initial sessions. The following schedule will be in effect on November 20 and 27.

Squirts, at Woburn St.: Girls nine years old at 1 p.m., girls 10 years old 2 p.m., boys nine years old 3 p.m., boys 10 years old 4 p.m.

Juniors, High School: Girls 11 years old, 10 a.m.; girls 12 years old 11 a.m.; girls 13 years old 12 noon; boys 11 years old 1 p.m., boys 12 years old 2 p.m.; boys 13 years old 3 p.m.

Seniors, High School: Girls 15 and 16 years old, 4 p.m.; Girls 14 years old 5 p.m.; boys 15 and 16 years old 6 p.m.; boys 14 years old 5 p.m.

This season the format for the youth divisions will be altered slightly from other years. The Squirts will be at Woburn Street gym every Saturday afternoon and evening sessions will take place on Tuesdays for the girls and Thursdays for the boys. Emphasis will be placed on instruction in this sector.

The junior division may have two conferences in each of the boys and girls loops. At any rate each club will play or practice twice a week all season.

The seniors will play all their games on weekends, while the juniors may be scattered on Monday, Wednesday, Saturday and

MVGHSL standings	
Hudson	2-0-3
Chelmsford	3-1-1
Natick	2-1-1
Tewksbury	2-1-1
Nashua	2-1-1
Recs	2-2-1
Shawheen	1-4-0
Haverhill	0-5-0

Tewksbury Bantam Hockey

In a game to decide first place, the Blues defeated the Flames in an exciting game at Merrimack on November 7. The Blues maintained control of the tempo to gain a hard-fought 3-1 victory.

About midway through the first period, right winger Rick Dion managed to poke in the first goal by Flames goalie Tommy Bond. An assist went to Scott Joyce on a sheer hustle play.

The second goal was also scored by Rick Dion in the first period on a rebound from the slap shot of defenseman Mike Sheehan. The Blues were ahead 2-0 at the end of the first period.

The second period began with a goal by the Flames'

Tim Sheehan, assisted by Dan Jacquard, and was the result of strong pressure on the league leading goalie, Chris Aucoin of the Blues. Aucoin has only allowed seven goals in five games for a sparkling 1.40 goals-against average.

The final scoring of the game was by Dan O'Brien, who played an outstanding game on an accurate shot to the upper corner past the Flames goalie. The assist went to Chris Nawn, the Blues' captain.

The third period was scoreless as the Blues held on to a 3-1 victory due to the fine defensive work of Mike Sheehan, Glenn Urquhart, Billy Brazile and Vinny Buscanera.

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Wilmington sets the stage

The Wildcats did what they had to do to down Billerica 20-6, paving the way for the awaited showdown on Thanksgiving morning.

The defense, three interceptions, penalties and Jim Stewart all contributed to the win as Wilmington took advantage of Billerica mistakes. In the first quarter the Wildcats held fast, stopping the Indians on fourth and three at the Wilmington 17.

Another Billerica threat was snuffed out as Bob Sierrazza picked off a pass at the Wildcat 28.

From there Wilmington moved down the field for their first score, aided by runs from Stewart and Sierrazza, plus a personal foul call.

On third and goal Stewart swept right from three yards out. His kick went wide for a 6-0 lead.

The half came to a close as Billerica intercepted a Stewart pass at the 49. Two long bombs fell incomplete and the lead still stood at 6-0.

Billerica knotted the score early in the third quarter as they were set up by a fine punt return to the Wildcat 21. Three plays later Peter Coppinger dove in from the one. The rush for two points failed as the defense held stiff.

Wilmington came right back putting together an 11 play, 70 yard drive with Stewart scoring his second touchdown on an eight yard run while adding the two extra points for a 14-6 margin.

Plagued by four penalties and an interception by linebacker Dave Rounds, another threat for Billerica was wiped out early in the fourth quarter.



Gaud in pursuit

The Wildcats took advantage again moving the ball to the Indian 12.

The fourth down Jim Stewart fired incomplete in the end zone, but a personal foul set Wilmington up on the six yard line. Two plays later Gordie Fitch plowed in from the one.

Billerica mounted one more threat as they fell on a Wild-

cat fumble at their 20. They moved down to the Wilmington 19 and again the defense rose up on fourth down.

On Thanksgiving, what's at stake for both Wilmington and Tewksbury speaks for itself. What else can be said? The Wilmington High School Boosters are in need of help on Thanksgiving in the conces-

sion stand. Anyone who can lend a hand should contact Frank Sierrazza at 658-0652.

Summary	Wilmington	Billerica
First downs	15	11
Total Off	247	162
Rushing	49-213	36-128
Passing	34	34
Rushing	Atts.	Yards
Stewart	15	90
Sierrazza	15	73
Fitch	15	49

Thanksgiving Day tickets

Thanksgiving Day football and Shawheen Schools; game tickets will be sold at Wednesday at the North following locations: Intermediate, Wildwood and Monday, from 7 to 9 p.m. at Western Street schools. WHS conference room; Tewksbury tickets will be sold at the day at the West Intermediate high school until 12 noon on

November 24. Tickets will be \$2 for adults and 75c for students. All tickets on Thanksgiving day will be \$2.00.

Thanksgiving flashback

The game that got away

by Rick Cooke

The memory of the day the Wilmington High School football team got away lingers on.

Thanksgiving Day 1972. The undefeated Wildcat football juggernaut played host to a Tewksbury team that had survived a succession of injuries and numerous defensive changes to go 2-5. The Wildcats were heavily favored - not even the most loyal Redmen rooter expected the likes of Manna, Flagg, Looney, D'Avanzo, Breen and Cooke to handle Wildcat stars Al Jansen, Leo "Chico" Campbell, Jim McNally and Paul Olsen. The 10 degree temperature wouldn't help matters. As always this Thanksgiving produced the unexpected on the gridiron. The Redmen defense led by a junior linebacker named Kevin Jarnagin held the vaunted Wilmington offense in check. Quarterback Steve Coursey and his ace backs Dean Devlin and Bob Bavota were held down.

Redmen quarterback Dave Smith hit Captain Charlie D'Avanzo with a 26 yard touchdown toss to give the underdog TMHS team an early edge.

Punter Jeff Carson kept the Wildcats deep in their own territory and the defense was making Coach Robert Vadeboncoeur's pre-game prophecy a reality. "Vad" had told his squad that the Wildcats could not drive the length of the field for a touchdown. The WHS defense would have to force Tewksbury to cough up the football.

Tewksbury would fumble twice in the second half with both bobbles resulting in Wildcat scores. The 8.0 upset in the making was wiped out by Redmen mistakes. The dismal Tewksbury year had been made

complete.

The first score came after the only all-conference player on the TMHS squad - Jimmy Meuse fumbled the ball away after a jarring tackle by Devlin.

Coursey hit Bruce McMillan with a pass over the middle that covered 30 yards. Touchdown 8-6. Redmen by two.

Defensive backs Meuse and Tim Breen had become confused on covering the play.

Late in the final quarter Alan Jansen recovered a Breen fumble at the Redmen 19. The handwriting was on the wall. Bob Bavota banged over from the three dragging a battered Tewksbury tackle over with him. Doug Stewart booted the extra point. With 1:54 left it was over. 13-8 Wildcats. Another MVC championship.

I limped to the sidelines and looked up at the scoreboard. It didn't hit me until the clock registered "0:00" we had them. We gave it to them" - I thought.

Looking back on the contest I thought I played my best game ever at the middle guard position. But it wasn't enough. My effort fell short because the Wilmington offense took it away from us. They wanted it - and they took it away.

Don't be surprised if this year's Wildcats take something else away from Tewksbury come Thanksgiving morning 1976. That "something else" may be the Division II championship.

If this happens I'll walk along the Tewksbury sidelines and probably hear - "we had them - we gave it to them."

scoring race

Gordie Fitch, Wilmington	15-4-90
James Wright, Billerica	12-4-84
Jay Petros, Tewksbury	14-0-84
Jim Stewart, Wilmington	8-3-68
Fourteen conversion kicks for	
Stewart (one point each)	10-3-84
Amy Sancier, Dracut	10-3-84
Gerry Stabile, Andover	10-3-84

Bantam A's

In a great game that by far put Wilmington up against its toughest team yet, undefeated Danvers, the A's once again were victorious in a 3-1 win. Danvers showed some very fine talent and ability, but were no match for the A's as Mark Boudreau got Wilmington's first goal late in the first period unassisted, to make it 1-0.

The second period saw goalie Rick Ballou really getting tested to the limit. As the A's defense was having some problems. But at the other end of the rink Mark Boudreau, on a pass from Jimmy Burns and Rich Robinson did a little testing of their own.

Danvers didn't do its homework and beat him nicely to close the period 2-1.

The third period saw center Rich Robinson after collecting a loose puck off to the races on a breakaway. The Danvers goalie seemed dumbfounded as he stood flat footed and Robinson drove it home to end the game 3-1.

Penalties again played a major roll with seven for Wilmington and five for Danvers.

Thursday evening Wilmington went up against Bedford in a tight contest to emerge in a 4-3 win.

In some of the toughest competition the A's have met this season Wilmington went on the board late in the second period after being held scoreless for a full period.

Six squads in Division II gridiron race

The battle for a berth in the Division II Super Bowl looms as a battle between six teams. The two Merrimack Valley squads - Tewksbury and Wilmington are probably the two top contenders.

The winner of the Thanksgiving Day clash will more than likely be ranked number one in the Division II ratings.

If either Tewksbury or Wilmington finish number one probable opponents are:

1. Catholic Memorial (Catholic Conference) - 5-0 overall - 8-1-0.

2. Taunton (Southeast Conference) - 6-0-0 overall - 7-2-0.

3. LYNN Classical (Northeastern Conference) - 7-1-0 overall - 8-1-0.

4. Lynn English (Northeastern Conference) - 7-1-0 overall - 8-0-0.

The Lynn Classical and Lynn English situation is much like the Tewksbury-

Wilmington affair. The loser of the Classical vs. English Turkey Day tilt will be eliminated from the running as will the Tewksbury-Wilmington loser.

Taunton has clinched the Southeast Conference crown and plays a non-league game Turkey Day at Coyle-Cassidy.

Catholic Memorial could be forced to share the Catholic Conference title if they lose to arch-rival B.C. High (4-1-0) Thanksgiving morning.

The determining factor in the Tewksbury-Wilmington war is the opening game non-league opponents for each team.

If the Wildcats win they will get the nod for Division II honors because they blasted Stoneham 27-6 in their non-league opener.

Stoneham is in fourth place in the tough Middlesex League with a 5-2-1 record.

The Redmen blanked Belmont 14-0 in their non-league opener. Belmont is in last place in that same Middlesex League with a dismal 0-8-0 record.

By virtue of their Stoneham conquest the Wildcats will have an advantage if they can topple Tewksbury.

Catholic Memorial has been suggested as the opponent for either Tewksbury or Wilmington in the Division II championship game. The Division II championship game will be played December 4 at 10:30 a.m. at Boston University's Nickerson Field.

Bantam B1

- McGrath

Nov. - The B's lost their first game of the year 2-1 to North Reading. Two goals were scored late in the second period against the B's, but Frank Devita made it 2-1 at 1:19 of the second period assisted by Doug Wilberg and Gordon Smith.

Nov. 14: The B's lost their second game to Waltham at Danvers Sunday night. After dropping behind 3-0 the teams traded goals, making it 3-1. The team then scored four times for a 5-3 lead.

Winthrop came right back with two goals for a 5-5 tie. Winthrop scored the winner with only 12 seconds left in the game.

Scoring was done by Bob Lowrey, Rick Zamboni and Joby Duggan, one goal, one assist; single goals to Mike Stokes and Gordon Smith; assists to Walter Surratt (2), John Murphy and Don Foley.

Next games: November 21, 9:30 p.m. at Danvers vs. Ipswich; Nov. 24, 6 p.m. vs. Haverhill at Wilmington.



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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of Howard H. Murphy of Plainfield in the State of New Hampshire praying that he be appointed executor thereof without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the first day of December 1976, the return day of this citation. Witness, Edward T. Martin, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of October 1976. N10.17.24 JOHN V. HARVEY, Register

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Donald P. Giles, Plaintiff
vs. Barbara T. Giles, Defendant
Summons by Publication
To the above-named Defendant:
A complaint has been presented to this Court by your spouse, Donald P. Giles, seeking to dissolve the bonds of matrimony.
You are required to serve upon Ernest L. Nigro, plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 649 Main St., Wakefield, Mass. 01880 your answer on or before the twenty-seventh day of December, 1976. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at Cambridge.
Witness EDWARD T. MARTIN, Esq., First Judge of said Court at Cambridge, November 2, 1976. John V. Harvey, Register of Probate

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss. No. 114484
Gertrude H. O'Dell, Plaintiff
vs. Summons by Publication
Eileen Wayne O'Dell, Defendant
To the above-named Defendant:
A complaint has been presented to this Court by your spouse, Gertrude H. O'Dell, seeking Modification of Decree of September 22, 1975.
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Cold but happy

Their hats reversed, members of the Wilmington High School Band prepare to board the bus after a cold day at the football game. When the Wildcats win a game, the band members go home with their hats on backwards.

The band will be showing movies on the day after Thanksgiving at the High School. Screenings will be at 10:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. The feature will be Disney's "Island at the Top of the World." Admission is 75c.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss. No. 114485
Michael J. Mosco, Plaintiff
vs. Summons by Publication
Doreen L. Mosco, Defendant
To the above-named Defendant:
A complaint has been presented to this Court by your spouse, Michael J. Mosco, seeking a divorce for adultery.
You are required to serve upon Michael J. Mosco, plaintiff, whose address is 127 Main St., Wilmington, Mass. your answer on or before November 21, 1976. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at Cambridge.
Witness EDWARD T. MARTIN, Esq., First Judge of said Court at Cambridge, Oct. 28, 1976. John V. Harvey, Register of Probate

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss. No. 114486
William E. Martin, Plaintiff
vs. Summons by Publication
William E. Martin, Defendant
To the above-named Defendant:
The executor of the will of said William E. Martin has presented to said Court for allowance and final account.
If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 2nd day of November 1976, the return day of this citation.
Witness EDWARD T. MARTIN, Esq., First Judge of said Court at Cambridge, Oct. 28, 1976. John V. Harvey, Register of Probate

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss. No. 114487
Gerard J. Bedford, Plaintiff
vs. Summons by Publication
Burgess Bedford, Defendant
To the above-named Defendant:
A complaint has been presented to this Court by your spouse, Gerard J. Bedford, seeking a divorce on the grounds of cruel and abusive treatment.
You are required to serve upon Burgess Bedford, plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 141 Mill Street, Boston, Mass. 02109 your answer on or before January 17, 1977. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at Cambridge.
Witness EDWARD T. MARTIN, Esq., First Judge of said Court at Cambridge, October 14, 1976. John V. Harvey, Register of Probate

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss. No. 114488
To all persons interested in the estate of Douglas W. Palmer also known as Douglas Palmer late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said Douglas W. Palmer, and application has been made for payment of the amount in accordance with Sec. 20 Ch. 181 GL. Payment has been stopped. Bankbook 2884850 Reading Co-operative Bank, N10-17.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss. No. 114489
To all persons interested in the estate of Douglas W. Palmer also known as Douglas Palmer late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said Douglas W. Palmer, and application has been made for payment of the amount in accordance with Sec. 20 Ch. 181 GL. Payment has been stopped. Bankbook 2884850 Reading Co-operative Bank, N10-17.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss. No. 114490
To all persons interested in the estate of Douglas W. Palmer also known as Douglas Palmer late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.
A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said Douglas W. Palmer, and application has been made for payment of the amount in accordance with Sec. 20 Ch. 181 GL. Payment has been stopped. Bankbook 2884850 Reading Co-operative Bank, N10-17.